

Case Docket No. RPC 0559 PUS**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re application of: William Patrick Apps	Serial No.: 09/785,100
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Title: NESTABLE DISPLAY CRATE FOR BOTTLE CARRIERS	

To: Commissioner for Patents
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____ Applicant has previously claimed small entity status.

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